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SMITH HAYS NAMED FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

Winchester Attorney Has Name Proposed For Both Party Nominations In Petitions

Much interest was caused in political circles Tuesday by the dispatch from Frankfort to the morning newspapers which said that petitions for J. Smith Hays, of Winchester, had been filed with the Secretary of State, to get on both the Democratic and Republican primary ballots as a candidate for Circuit Judge in this, the 25th judicial district.

Under the new non-partisan judicial law, it is permissible for a judgeship candidate to seek nomination on both party tickets. This has been done in several districts over the state, Judge Fra Bullock having done so in Fayette county and Judge Henry R. Prewitt having done so in the Mt. Sterling district.

However, the announcement from Frankfort about Mr. Hays caused surprise as it was not thought by his friends that Judge W. R. Shackelford would have opposition at this late day. Judge Shackelford's petition as a Democratic candidate has been duly filed in Frankfort.

News comes from Frankfort that the petitions filed for Mr. Hays were not signed by him personally but that his name was proposed for the Democratic nomination by two democrats of the district and for the Republican nomination by two republicans of the district. The two democrats signing that party's petition are Messrs. J. R. Dunbar and W. A. Langford, of Richmond; and the two republicans are W. O. Mays and E. S. Wiggins, of Richmond.

Mr. Hays could not be reached by telephone at his home at Winchester Tuesday morning, when an effort was made to ascertain if he authorized use of his name as a candidate for both nominations. The telephone exchange at Winchester reported him as out of town.

The Courier-Journal Tuesday also said that a petition to get his name on the Republican ballot had also been filed by Judge Shackelford, so that a race may develop between Shackelford and Hays for both the republican and democratic nominations. In such an event, if one were to win both nominations, he would go to the final election in November without opposition. But if one man won one nomination and one the other, no matter which, they would meet again the November general election.

A prominent local attorney, who is said to have discussed the matter with Mr. Hays, is said to have his assurance that if petitions were filed for him, he would not withdraw.

Judge Shackelford is at Stanton, Powell county, this week, holding circuit court.

Monday was the last day for filing petitions for state or district offices, and quite a number were filed by candidates of both parties. Dr. R. L. Davison, of Stanfogl, well known here, filed his petition as the republican candidate for State Senator in the 18th district, composed of Lincoln, Garrard, Boyle, and Casey counties, opposing J. E. Robinson of Garrard. Democratic nominee without opposition. A real race is expected to result in that district as it is very close politically, but friends of Mr. Robinson say he is a sure winner.

CHAUTAUQUA

Buy a season ticket. It's the cheapest after all. The whole program by single admission costs \$10; by buying a season ticket you see all of it for \$3.03. The three best numbers, by single admission will cost you \$3.05. You can see them, with a season ticket for \$3.03, and see or hear the other eleven numbers for nothing.

The good women of the Christian church are running the Chautauqua this year trying to make some money to decorate their church. If you buy a season ticket they get half of it, if you go and pay by single admission they get only 10 per cent of it. Surely you want to help them in their laudable enterprise, as well as help yourself by attending Chautauqua.

Weather For Kentucky

Local thundershowers this afternoon or tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy; little change in temperature.

Today's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, June 28—Good lambs steady and strong; Jersey lower; packers 10c higher; calves lower.

Louisville, June 28—Cattle 200; uneven, tops \$7; hogs 1,200; strong and unchanged; sheep 2000 uneven and unchanged; lambs \$10; choice \$10.50.

DEMOCRATS' NOMINEE INELIGIBLE FOR MAYOR

Louisville, Ky., June 28—Jos. M. Emmart, recommended at the recent democratic convention as the party's nominee for mayor at the election next November, Monday was declared ineligible to make the race by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, which held that Mr. Emmart's failure to register and vote at the last election disqualified him from being a candidate before the compulsory state primary in August.

There was talk last night to the effect that William Hoke Camp may be asked to make the race for mayor by the democrats. Another report is that the action of the convention as to other candidates will be ignored and a free-for-all primary will be held.

ALEX TURPIN FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE

Another prominent farmer of the Red House section, s in the race for Justice of the Peace in that district, soon to be made vacant through the removal of Dr. D. J. Williams to town. He is Mr. Alex Turpin, who today authorizes formal announcement of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination. Mr. Turpin is one of the most prominent farmers and land owners of his community, knows what it needs and is willing to serve it as best he can and his friends say that he would prove a very strong man on the Fiscal Court if nominated and elected. He favors good roads and public improvements, but does not favor wasting of the taxpayers' money and will work for an economical administration of the county's affairs, if honored with this office.

M'GRATH KILLED BY AUTO IN LOUISVILLE

Louisville, Ky., June 28—Frank McGrath, 65, democratic politician, was fatally injured late Monday when struck by an automobile driven by Hyman Godfrey, 14-year-old son of Benjamin Godfrey, an auctioneer at Camp Taylor.

McGrath, who was pinned against a telephone pole after the boy lost control of his machine, suffered a fractured skull and died in about thirty minutes. Miss Emma Kasper, of Jeffersonville, Ind., was run down and slightly injured at the same time. McGrath saw his danger, witnesses said, and tried to leap to safety. Young Godfrey was taken into custody immediately after the accident. McGrath had been a leader in Democratic politics in Louisville for over 25 years.

House Passes Robinson Bill For Federal Aid To Roads

Washington, June 28—After acrimonious debate lasting almost an hour, the House Monday passed the good roads bill which was offered by Congressman J. M. Robinson, republican, of Kentucky, by a vote of 266 to 77.

Many republicans attacked the measure as being extravagant in the face of promises of retrenchment, but friends of the measure held it to be the fulfillment of republican platform pledges made in the campaign. The bill is designed to keep highways improved by federal fund sin good condition.

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Agree On Peace Bill

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 28—A compromise on the Knox-Porter resolution to end a state of war with Germany and Austria was agreed upon today by republican conferees of the Senate and House.

REFORMER TRIES TO STOP BIG FIGHT

(By Associated Press) Jersey City, N. J., June 28—Robert Watson, an official of the International Reform Bureau, accompanied by five Jersey City clergymen, appeared in Chancery Court today in an effort to block the Dempsey-Carpentier fight next Saturday. Through counsel the delegation sought an order directing Promoter Tex Rickard to show cause why an injunction restraining the bout should not be issued.

The motion for injunction was denied by the Chancellor who gave permission to apply to another Chancellor. The Chancellor explained he could not hear the case because he is leaving town. Bureau officials left to seek another court.

Dr. Craft At Work, Too

Washington, June 28—Dr. Wilbur F. Craft, superintendent of the National Reform Bureau, announced here today that Rev. Watson's efforts to obtain an injunction is only the last move of the Bureau to stop the fight. "You may rest assured," said Crafts, "Watson, who is president of our Bureau has ample evidence to support his case. All the world knows the match is a prize fight and not a boxing contest, such as is permitted by the New Jersey law."

JUDGE SMITH TRYING TO STOP DRUNKS

Declaring that he's going to break up this promiscuous drunkenness about town or break the pocketbooks of offenders along this line, Police Judge Murray Smith soaked a number of offenders in his court Monday night. Several local young men were given severe warnings.

Preston Age, who was caught with two gallons of moonshine, when he returned from the Big Hill section, was fined \$100 and held to the grand jury. He was arrested by the police for fast driving and the moonshine found. Millard Garrett, who was with him, will have a hearing Thursday night. George Robb, also in the crowd, is said to have had no connection with the affair.

Newland Agee who cut Lew Baldwin on the street here, pleaded guilty and was fined \$300 and held to the grand jury.

FORMER MADISON MAN DIES IN CLARK

George Washington Lewis, 58 years old, who was born in Madison county, died at his home in Winchester, Saturday night about 11:15 o'clock of heart trouble. Mr. Lewis had been in failing health from a complication for several months and had suffered several heart attacks.

He was the son Asa K. Lewis, of Madison county, and moved to Clark county about thirty years ago, where he has since resided. He has been extensively engaged in farming since his residence in that county and also run a general merchandise store.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Madge McKiney, of Estill county, and two sons, Ruck, of H. Lewis and George M. Lewis, of Clark county, and one brother, James H. Lewis, of one sister Mrs. J. H. Martin, of Richmond. Funeral services were conducted at the home at 130 East Broadway, Winchester, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Dr. G. W. Banks, and Rev. W. L. Byrd.

W. R. Sphar was elected president of the Winchester Bank to fill the vacancy caused by Col. N. H. Witherspoon's death.

NO MARKED CHANGE IN BUSINESS CONDITIONS

Retail Prices To Consumers Have Not Been Affected Much By Reductions, Says Report

(By Associated Press) St. Louis, Mo., June 28—General business in the Eighth Federal Reserve district has undergone no marked change as contrasted with the month before, according to the monthly statement of business conditions given out at the bank here today. Reports from various industries indicate considerable unevenness and influencing factors are evenly divided between favorable and unfavorable says the report.

The public is in need of various commodities and possesses the money to buy but is demanding its money's worth. Where merchants are doing business on this basis the movement into consumption is excellent and compares favorably with former seasons. Stagnation continues in lines which have not been adjusted to square with the general leveling processes.

Keen salesmanship is returning, with the necessity of intensive work to move goods, says the report, and almost unprecedented competition is the result. Declines in fuel, labor, chemicals and distribution costs have failed to react on the price to consumers of the finished product, it continues.

Wheat is selling below \$1.50 a bushel as compared with \$2.86 a year ago and flour at \$7.50 to \$8.50 a barrel wholesale as compared with \$12.50 and \$13.50 a year ago. Iron and steel prices were shaved somewhat during the month and cereal markets were marked with violent fluctuations in wheat and narrow and lower quotations in coarse grains.

Planting of corn is about completed in the district and cultivation is in process in some fields. "Generally in the southern sections," says the report, "where the shortage this season is considered larger than last year, the stand is good. Needed rains have fallen in Tennessee and Mississippi and elsewhere moisture has been adequate. There are reports of chinch bugs but no serious damage from that source is noted. The condition of winter wheat is excellent. Yields in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee and Missouri will be in excess of a year ago. In the South small crops, such as sweet potatoes, cantaloupes, watermelons, peanuts, etc., are making excellent growth. Adverse from the cotton belt are in the main pessimistic. Acreages are universally under those of 1920, recent reports placing the decrease from 20 to 40 per cent. Climatic conditions have not been auspicious. Reduced tobacco acreages seem to be the rule and that crop is backward. Farm labor is plentiful and is costing from 20 to 45 per cent less than last year."

U. S. TO PROSECUTE LUXURY TAX EVADERS

(By Associated Press) New York, June 28—With the indictment by a federal grand jury here today of Martin and Martin, leather goods leaders, on a charge of violating the 1918 revenue act and conspiring to defraud the government by evading payment of luxury taxes, United States Attorney Hayward announced marked the beginning of a campaign against evaders of that tax. He asserted the firm collected luxury taxes from customers and kept them. He indicated that instructions to prosecute the cases came from Commissioner of Internal Revenue Blair.

RAILROAD TAX GOES TO SCHOOL Supt.

Railroad and bridge companies must pay common school taxes for their mileage within a county school district to the county school superintendent. This opinion was given Sam Walker, county superintendent of Whitley county, today by Attorney General Dawson in answer to Walker's query as to whether the railroad and bridge companies in Whitley county should pay the common school tax to the county superintendent of the sheriff. Before the passage of the act of 1920 which the Court of Appeals construed to mean that the whole county outside of an independent school district should pay taxes to the county school superintendent or road and bridge companies paid their taxes to the sheriff.

Geo. Sewell Dies In Jessamine

George W. Sewell, 80, died at his home in the Pink neighborhood of Jessamine County. He was followed by the following sons, Albert Sewell, of Pink, John Sewell, of Garrard county, B. E. Sewell, of Danville, and a daughter, Mrs. Lena Brock, of Jessamine county.

Wheat Drops 9 Cents

(By Associated Press) Chicago, June 28—Severe breaks in the price of wheat took place today. Some sales showed a loss of much as 9 cents a bushel. Free selling on the part of country holders was responsible.

FRANK BARNETT GETS \$50 FOR DEATH OF DOG

Frank Barnett was awarded a judgment for \$50 against Joe Ross for the killing of his dog, in county court Tuesday. He was suing for \$200 damages. Mr. Ross shot the dog the latter part of May. It seems that a number of dogs belonging to people on Moberly avenue had been making a playground of a vacant lot belonging to Mr. Ross. In trying to put a stop to this, he "sprinkled" two dogs that he happened to see in the lot one evening, and Mr. Barnett's dog happened to be one of the two. The dog died from the injuries received from the shot which also struck Mr. Barnett.

Col. R. C. Oldham was attorney for Mr. Barnett, while Attorney A. R. Burman acted for the defendant. Both lawyers handled their cases before the court with much zeal. Col. Oldham's description of a dog's faithfulness to his master was touching.

The jury journeyed to the lot to view the site of the canine tragedy.

Messrs. Baughman, Gott, Parks and Soper were witnesses for the plaintiff, Messrs. Black, Turpin, Cox, Smith, and Wells were witnesses for the defendant. It was proven that Barnett's dogs were hardly ever out without being with some member of the Barnett family and that he was under Frank Barnett's control at the time of the shooting. He was a very fine coon dog. Mr. Barnett testified that he had refused several offers of \$200 for him, and would not have sold him for \$500. He said he was greatly attached to the animal.

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NEW CONGRESSMEN TAKE BIT IN TEETH

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 28—Representative Anson of New York, today issued a statement saying that the new republican members of the House are dissatisfied with the progress made by Congress, and he and ten others have joined in a call for a conference tomorrow night of approximately a hundred new republican members to discuss the situation. He asserted the meeting is not in a spirit of revolt, but the members desire to "substitute action for delay."

Railway Employees Still Voting On Wage Reductions

(By Associated Press) Chicago, June 28—Reports of an overwhelming vote for rejection of the average eight per cent wage reduction recently ordered for all railroad shop employees by the Federal Railway Labor Board is branded as misleading by B. M. Jewell, head of the shop organization, here today. He said two-thirds of the six hundred thousand membership voted. He added "a few votes might swing it either way."

Charles J. Bonaparte Dead

(By Associated Press) Baltimore, June 28—Charles J. Bonaparte Attorney General during the Roosevelt administration, died at his country home near here today. He had been ill a year with heart affection, complicated with kidney trouble. He was 70 years old.

British Coal Strike Settled

(By Associated Press) London, June 28—The British coal mine strike which has been in progress since April 1st, has been settled, it is officially announced today.

SCRATCH OF PIN FATAL TO YOUNG WIFE

Friends here of Stout Lillard, of Danville, regretted to learn of the death of his wife, Mrs. Jane Crawford Lillard, who died at the Danville hospital Monday following a short illness of blood poisoning. Mrs. Lillard was 25 years old. Mr. Lillard and one child, a daughter, 9 months old, survive. She was the daughter of Dr. C. K. Crawford, of Louisville, and the sister of Mrs. Vance Taylor, of that city. Mrs. Lillard was a graduate of the Kentucky College for Women. She and her husband just recently returned from France. Her death was most untimely, it being said that the scratch of a pin on her face caused the blood poisoning.

DIXIE HIGHWAY MEETING IN BERA

An important meeting of the Dixie Highway Committee was held at Boone Tavern last Friday night. Dixie boosters of Berea and vicinity entertained Mr. Hill the newly elected director of the Dixie Highway Commission, and his party of enthusiastic boosters of the highway from Cincinnati and Lexington, says the Berea Citizen. Among the well known members of the party were Dr. Bonfield, president of the Cincinnati Auto Club, Mr. Culkins, secretary of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Len Shouse, manager of the new Lafayette hotel in Lexington.

Mr. J. W. Herndon was master of ceremonies, and in this capacity served in his usual happy fashion.

Speeches were made by Director Hill, Mr. Culkins, Dr. Bonfield, Mr. Bradberry, road engineer of Rockcastle county, and others. The speech of the evening was made by Dr. Bonfield, whose subject was the "Evolution of Transportation," in which the speaker stressed the wonderful progress that has been made during the past century in the matter of transportation. He mentioned the fact that the steamboat, the trolley, and the railroad train were being supplanted in large measure by the motor truck, and in order to make this means of travel profitable and enjoyable it was necessary to have good highways crossing our country from east to west and north to south.

The Highway Commission were making an official tour of inspection, suggested by Judge M. M. Allison, of Chattanooga, Tenn., president of the Dixie Highway Association.

While here Mr. Hill received a telegram from Governor Davis, of Ohio, stating that he had invited the governors of the states thru which the Highway runs to send representatives to a meeting to be held in Cincinnati the latter part of September.

Mr. Bradberry reported the grade in condition for travel thru Rockcastle, and the party left on Saturday morning to make an inspection of the highway thru the county.

Today's Produce Prices

Quoted and paid by the Ren-aker Poultry Company.
Eggs 18 cents dozen
Hens 17 cents lb
Large Springers 30 cents lb
Small Springers 20 cents lb
Roosters 6c lb
Ducks 14c lb
Geese 8c lb
Turkeys 15c lb
Hams 25c lb
Beef Hides 3c lb
Horse Hides, No. 1 \$2 each

FRANKFORT MUST PASS ON NEW SCHOOL PLANS

Chapman Calls Attention to State Law That Superintendent Approve Them

(By Associated Press) Frankfort, Ky., June 28—The county superintendents and educational boards must observe the state law requiring that plans for new school buildings be submitted to the office of the State Superintendent for approval, according to a letter just sent out from the office of J. Virgil Chapman, state superintendent of Rural Schools. The letter calls the attention of the superintendents and boards to the law and urges that it be kept in mind and that those who have not been observing it do so.

Mr. Chapman stated, in giving out the letter, that most of the counties have been observing the law but that in visiting summer schools he had found that in a number of counties, buildings had been erected without compliance with the law.

"We hope later," said Mr. Chapman, "to have a law providing for a commissioner of school buildings. At present, however, the office of the state superintendent, with the cooperation of the State Board of Health passes on the plans."

The letter calls attention to the fact that nineteen twentieths of the regulations governing school building construction in the various states have been passed within the last fifteen years. At least 14 of the 48 states have some legal requirements in this connection.

In two thirds of the states, he says, approval of the plans and specifications or even plans for enlargement of school buildings is vested in the state authorities. In some states the board of health cooperates.

"Judging from reports to the United States Bureau of Education," he said, "general satisfaction has resulted from such laws. It results in freeing the local boards of demands of persons with some influence and who may have personal demands to make, and often results in securing local cooperation which could not be obtained otherwise if plans were made and passed upon solely by local agencies."

In some states, he said, state funds are being used to aid in getting local aid.

METHODISTS EXTEND MOUNTAIN WORK

(By Associated Press) Pineville, Ky., June 28—Dr. Karl W. G. Hiller, for twenty years connected with the Nebraska conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, has joined the staff of the Southeastern District of the Kentucky Conference as Community Extension Director. It was announced here today by Rev. Ollie Regan, superintendent of the district. He will have charge of the community programs of the district in mountain coal mining camps.

Dr. Hiller, whose headquarters for a number of years has been Lincoln, Nebraska, is known in church work as a community organization specialist. He organized the first community project in the middle west and has been doing much work in the rural districts of Nebraska for several years. For a time he was survey director for the Interchurch World Movement in Nebraska.

In addition to Dr. Hiller, a number of evangelists are doing constructive work for the conference in the Harlan district and Home Missionary Organization and the Women's Home Missionary Society of the church have sent a number of workers in to the district. This work is under the direction of Mrs. Reagan, wife of the superintendent.

Follis' Wife Gets Reward

Frankfort, Ky., June 28—The wife and children of John A. Follis, charged with shooting four policemen here two weeks ago, today were given the \$500 reward offered for his capture. The reward offered by Governor Morrow was paid to Thomas E. Kenney, one of the captors of Follis, and he turned the money over to the wife of the accused man.